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For: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR REINFORCING LOCKABLE  
TELESCOPING POLES

**WRITTEN ASSERTION OF ENTITLEMENT TO SMALL ENTITY STATUS**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.27(c), it is herein asserted that Applicant is entitled to small entity status because Applicant qualifies at least as an *independent inventor* under 37 C.F.R. §1.27(a) who has not assigned, granted, conveyed, or licensed, and is under no obligation under contract or law to assign, grant, convey, or license, any rights in the invention to any person, concern, or organization which would not qualify for small entity status. Accordingly, recognition of Applicant's small entity status and treatment of Applicant as a small entity is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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